REMARKS

In response to the Official Action mailed on October 15, 2004, applicant has amended the claims as shown above.

New drawings are being provided to replace the originally filed informal drawings.

As shown above, claim 1 has been amended to include the limitations previously contained in claim 5. Accordingly, claim 5 has been canceled. Claim 10 has been amended to contain the limitations previously contained in claims 13 and 14. Accordingly, claims 13 and 14 have been amended.

Applicant believes that these changes place the remaining uncanceled claims in allowable form.

In view of the changes made to the claims of the subject patent application and in further view of the above discussion, applicant respectfully requests Examiner's reconsideration of the subject patent application and expeditious allowance of claims 1-4, 6-12, and 15-23.

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